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GOVERNMENT OF GOA

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GOVERNMENT OF GOA

Department of Home

Foreigners and Citizenship Division

Notification

CEP/GDD/PROP/437/97

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 46 of the Goa, Daman and Diu Administration of Evacuee Property Act, 1964 (Act No. 6 of 1964), the Government of Goa hereby makes the following rules so as to amend the Goa, Daman and Diu Administration of Evacuee Property Rules, 1965, namely:—

- 1. Short title and commencement.— (1) These rules may be called the Goa Administration of Evacuee Property (Amendment) Rules, 1997.
 - (2) They shall come into force at once.
- 2. Amendment of rule 26.— In rule 26 of Goa, Daman and Diu Administration of Evacuee Property Rules, 1965 (hereinafter referred to as the "principal rules"), in sub-rule (1), for the words "Rupees twenty", the words "Rupees fifty" shall be substituted.
 - 2. Amendment of rule 29. In rule 29 of the principal rules, —
 - (i) for sub-rule (1), the following shall be substituted namely:—
 - "(1) The following fees shall be payable by the person desirous of obtaining any copy from any record maintained under the Act or these rules.
 - (a) Certificate of receipt of case or duplicate copy of challan

Rs. 3.00

- (b) For every certified copy of final original order passed by the Custodian.—
 - (i) for every sheet of paper 30x30 cms. dimension in writing or typed with double spacing.....

Rs. 10/-, for every sheet of paper or part thereof.

(ii) for such record in tabular....

twice the rate specified in

(i) above.

(c) For every true copy of certified copy......

The same as (b) (i) above.

on The same as

(d) Copy of final order passed on appeal.....

(b) (i) above.

(e) Copy of any application, objection, petition, affidavit or statement made by a private party or a witness.....

Rs. 8.00

(f) Any other document,

Rs. 10.00

(ii) In sub-rule (2), for the letters and figures "Rs. 2/-", the letters and figures "Rs. 5/-" shall be substituted.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

A. Mascarenhas, Under Secretary (Home).

Panaji, 20th October, 1997.

Department of Law & Judiciary Legal Affairs Division

Notification

10/5/96/LA-Vol.I

The Port Laws (Amendment) Ordinance, 1997 (Ordinance No. 1 of 1997) which has been promulgated by the President of India and published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, Part II, Section I, dated 9th January, 1997 is hereby published for the general information of the public.

P. V. Kadneker, Joint Secretary (Law).

Panaji, 5th February, 1997.

MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE (Legislative Department)

New Delhi, the 9th January, 1997/Pausa 19, 1918(Saka)

The Port Laws (Amendment) Ordinance, 1997

No. 1 of 1997

Promulgated by the President in the Forty-seventh Year of the Republic of India.

An Ordinance further to amend the Indian Ports Act, 1908 and the Major Port Trusts Act, 1963.

Whereas Parliament is not in session and the President is satisfied that circumstances exist which render it necessary for him to take immediate action;

Now, Therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (1) of article 123 of the Constitution, the President is pleased to promulgate the following Ordinance:—

CHAPTER I

Preliminary

- 1. Short title and commencement.—(1) This Ordinance may be called the Port Laws (Amendment) Ordinance, 1997.
 - (2) It shall come into force at once.

CHAPTER II

Amendments to the Indian Ports Act, 1908

- 2. Amendment of section 3.— In section 3 of the Indian Ports Act, 1908 (hereafter in this Chapter referred to as the Ports Act), for clause (1), the following clause shall be substituted, namely:—
- '(1) "Magistrate" means a person exercising powers under the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973;'. 2 of 1974.
- 3. Amendment of section 6.— In section 6 of the Ports Act, in sub-section (I),—
 - (i) in clause (j), after the words "rates to be paid", the words "in a port other than a major port" shall be inserted;
 - (ii) for clause (jj), the following clauses shall be substituted, namely:—
 - "(jj) for regulating the use of piers, jetties, landing places, wharves, quays, warehouses and sheds when belonging to the Government;
 - (jja) for fixing the rates to be paid for the use of piers, jetties, landing places, wharves, quays, warehouses and sheds of any port, other than a major port, when belonging to the Government;";

- (iii) for clause (k), the following clauses shall be substituted, namely:—
 - "(k) for licensing and regulating catamarans plying for hire, and flats and cargo, passenger and other boats plying, whether for hire or not, and whether regularly or only occasionally, in or partly within and partly without any such port, and for licensing and regulating the crews of any such vessels; and for determining the quantity of cargo or number of passengers or of the crew to be carried by any such vessels and the conditions under which such vessels shall be compelled to ply for hire and further for conditions under which any licence may be revoked;
 - (kk) for providing for the fees payable in respect of the services specified in clause (k) for any port, other than a major port;".
- 4. Amendment of section 33.— In section 33 of the Ports Act,—
 - (a) in sub-section (1), after the words "in each of the ports mentioned in the First Schedule", the words "other than a major port" shall be inserted;
 - (b) in sub-section (3), after the words "declares any other port", the words "other than a major port" shall be inserted.
- 5. Substitution of section 34.— For section 34 of the Ports Act, the following section shall be substituted, namely:—
 - "34. Variation of port dues by Government.— The Government may after consulting,—
 - (a) in case of ports other than major ports, the authority appointed under section 36;
 - (b) in case of major ports, the Authority constituted under section 47A of the Major Port Trusts Act, 1963,

exempt, subject to such conditions, if any, as it thinks fit to impose, any vessel or class of vessels entering a port subject to this Act from payment of port dues and cancel the exemption, or may vary the rates at which port-dues are to be fixed in the port, in such manner as, having regard to the receipts and charges on account of the port, it thinks expedient, by reducing or raising the dues, or any of them or may extend the periods for which any vessel or class of vessels entering a port shall be exempt from liability to pay port-dues:

Provided that the rates shall not in any case exceed the amount authorized to be taken by or under this Act.

- 6. Amendment of section 35.— In section 35 of the Ports Act, in sub-section (1), after the words "Within any port subject to this Act", the words "not being a major port" shall be inserted.
- 7. Amendment of section 46.— In section 46 of the Ports Act, after the words "A vessel entering any port", the words "not being a major port" shall be inserted.

- 8. Amendment of section 47.— In section 47 of the Ports Act, after the words "When a vessel enters a port", the words "not being a major port" shall be inserted.
- 9. Amendment of First Schedule.— In the First Schedule to the Ports Act, in Part I, entries under columns 2, 3 and 4 shall be omitted.

CHAPTER III

Amendment to the Major Port Trusts Act, 1963

- 10. Amendment of section 2.— In section 2 of the Major Port Trusts Act, 1963 (hereafter in this Chapter referred to as the Major Port Act), after clause (a), the following clause shall be inserted, namely:—
 - '(aa) "Authority" means the Tariff Authority for Major Ports constituted under section 47A;'.
- 11. Amendment of section 29.— In section 29 of the Major Port Act, after sub-section (2), the following sub-section shall be inserted, namely:—
 - "(3) Notwithstanding anything contained in clause (a) of sub-section (1), the right to fix rates vested in the Board shall vest in the Authority as from the date it is constituted under sub-section (1) of section 47A.".
- 12. Amendment of section 42.— In section 42 of the Major Port Act, in sub-section (4), for the words and figures "leviable according to the scale framed under section 48 or section 49 or section 50", the words "specified by the Authority, by notification in the Official Gazette" shall be substituted.
- 13. Amendment of section 47.— In section 47 of the Major Port Act, in sub-section (3), in clause (i), for the words and figures "The Arbitration Act, 1940", the words and figures "The Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996" 26 of 1996. shall be substituted.
- 14. Insertion of Chapter VA.— After Chapter V of the Major Port Act, the following Chapter shall be inserted, namely:—

"CHAPTER VA

Tariff Authority for Major Ports

- 47A. Constitution and incorporation of Tariff Authority for Major Ports.— (1) With effect from such date as the Central Government may, by notification in the Official Gazette, appoint there shall be constituted for the purposes of this Act an Authority to be called the Tariff Authority for Major Ports.
- (2) The Authority shall be a body corporate by the name aforesaid having perpetual succession and a common seal and shall by the said name sue and be sued.
- (3) The head office of the Authority shall be at such place as the Central Government may decide from time to time.

- (4) The Authority shall consist of the following Members to be appointed by the Central Government, namely:—
 - (a) a Chairperson from amongst persons who is or who has been a Secretary to the Government of India or has held any equivalent post in the Central Government and who has experience in the management and knowledge of the functioning of the ports;
 - (b) a Member from amongst economists having experience of not less than fifteen years in the field of transport or foreign trade;
 - (c) a Member from amongst persons having experience of not less than fifteen years in the field of finance with special reference to investment or cost analysis in the Government or in any financial institution or industrial or services sector.
- 47B. Term of office, conditions of service, etc. of Chairperson and other Members.— (1) The Chairperson or a Member shall hold office for a term of five years from the date on which he enters upon his office or until he attains the age of sixty-five years, whichever is earlier.
- (2) The salaries and allowances payable to and other conditions of service of the Chairperson and the other Members shall be such as may be prescribed by the Central Government.
- (3) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-section (1), the Chairperson or a Member may—
 - (a) relinquish his office by giving in writing to the Central Government a notice of not less than three months; or
 - (b) be removed from his office in accordance with the provisions of section 47D.
- (4) If a casual vacancy occurs in the office of the Chairperson or any Member, whether by reason of his death, resignation or inability to discharge his functions owing to illness or other incapacity, such vacancy shall be filled up the Central Government by making a fresh appointment and the Chairperson or the Member so appointed shall hold office for the remainder of the term of office of the person in whose place he is so appointed.
- 47C. Disqualification for the office of Chairperson and Member.— A person shall be disqualified for being appointed as a Chairperson or as a Member of the Authority if he is disqualified for being chosen as a Trustee under section 6.
- 47D. Removal, etc. of Chairperson and Members.—(1) The Central Government shall remove from the Authority the Chairperson or any Member, if he—
 - (a) becomes subject to any disqualification under section 47C;
 - (b) refuses to act or becomes incapable of acting:
 - (c) in the opinion of the Central Government has so abused his position as to render his continuance in office detrimental to the public interest, or

- (d) is otherwise unsuitable to continue as the Chairperson or as a Member.
- (2) The Central Government may suspend the Chairperson or any Member pending an inquiry against him.
 - (3) No order of removal under this section shall be made unless the Chairperson or the Member concerned, as the case may be, has been given an opportunity to submit his explanation to the Central Government and when such order is passed, the seat of the Chairperson or Member removed shall be declared vacant.
- (4) The Chairperson or a Member who has been removed under this section shall not be eligible for re-appointment as a Chairperson or as a Member or in any other capacity under the Authority.
- 47E. Meetings.— The Authority shall meet at such times and places, and shall observe such rules of procedure in regard to the transaction of business at its meetings as may be specified by regulations.
- 47F. Authentication of all orders and decisions of the Authority.— All orders and decisions of the Authority shall be authenticated by the signature of the Chairperson or any other Member authorised by the Authority in this behalf:
- 47G. Vacancy, etc. not to invalidate proceedings of the Authority.— No act or proceeding of the Authority shall be invalidated merely by reason of—
 - (a) any vacancy in, or any defect in, the constitution of the Authority; or
 - (b) any defect in the appointment of a person acting as a Chairperson or a Member of the Authority; or
 - (c) any irregularity in the procedure of the Authority not affecting the merits of the case.
- 47H. Officers and employees of the Authority.— (1) The Authority may appoint officers and such other employees as it considers necessary for the efficient discharge of its functions under this Act.
- (2) The salary and allowances payable to and the other conditions of service of the officers and other employees of the Authority appointed under sub-section (I) shall be such as may be specified by regulations.".
- 15. Amendment of section 48.— In section 48 of the Major Port Act, in sub-section (1),—
 - (a) for the opening portion, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"The Authority shall from time to time, by notification in the Official Gazette, frame a scale of rates at which, and a statement of conditions under which, any of the services specified hereunder shall be performed by a Board or any other

- person authorised under section 42 at or in relation to the port or port approaches—";
 - (b) in clause (e), the words excepting the services in respect of vessels for which fees are chargeable under the Indian Ports Act" shall be omitted.
- 16. Amendment of section 49.— In section 49 of the Major Port Act, in sub-section (1), for the opening portion, the following shall be substituted namely:—

"The Authority shall from time to time, by notification in the Official Gazette, also frame a scale of rates on payment of which, and a statement of conditions under which, any property belonging to, or in the possession or occupation of, the Board, or any place within the limits of the port or the port approaches may be used for the purposes specified hereunder;—";

- 17. Insertion of new sections 49A and 49B.— After section 49 of the Major Port Act, the following sections shall be inserted, namely:—
- "49A. Fees for pilotage and certain other services.— (1) Within any port, fees may be charged for pilotage, hauling, mooring, re-mooring, hooking, measuring and other services rendered to vessels, at such rates as the Authority may fix.
- (2) The fees now chargeable for such services shall continue to be chargeable unless and until they are altered in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (I).
- (3) The Central Government may, in special cases, remit the whole or any portion of the fees chargeable under sub-section (1) or sub-section (2).
- 49(B). Fixation of port-dues.— (1) The Authority shall from time to time, by notification in the Official Gazette, fix port-dues on vessels entering the port.
- (2) An order increasing or altering the fees for pilotage and certain other services or port-dues at every port shall not take effect until the expiration of thirty days from the day on which the order was published in the Official Gazette.".
- 18. Substitution of section 50 and insertion of new sections 50A, 50B and 50C.— For section 50 of the Major Port Act. the following sections shall be substituted, namely:—
- "50. Consolidated rates for combination of services.— The Authority may, from time to time, by notification in the Official Gazette, frame a consolidated scale of rates for any combination of service specified in section 48 or for any combination of such service or services with any user or permission to use any property belonging to or in the possession or occupation of the Board, as specified in section 49 or the fees to be charged for pilotage, hauling, mooring, re-mooring, hooking, measuring and other services rendered to vessels as specified in section 49A or the port dues to be fixed on vessels entering the port and for the duration of such dues as specified in section 49B.
- 50A. Port-due on vessels in ballast.— A vessel entering any port in ballast and not carrying passengers shall be charged with a port-due at a rate to be determined by the Authority and not exceeding three-fourths of the rate with which she would otherwise be chargeable.

50B. Port-due on vessels not discharging or taking in cargo.—When a vessel enters a port but does not discharge or take in any cargo or passengers therein (with the exception of such unshipment and reshipment as may be necessary for purposes of repair), she shall be charged with a port-due at a rate to be determined by the authority and not exceeding half the rate with which she would otherwise be chargeable.

50C. Publication of orders of Authority.— Every notification, declaration, order and regulation of the Authority made in pursuance of this Act shall be published in the Official Gazette and a copy thereof shall be kept in the office of the conservator and at the custom-house, if any, of every port to which the declaration, order or rule relates, and shall there be open at all reasonable times to the inspection of any person without payment of any fee.".

- 19. Amendment of section 51.— In section 51 of the Major Port Act, for the word "Board" in both the places where it occurs, the word "Authority" shall be substituted.
- 20. Omission of section 52.— Section 52 of the Major Port Act shall be omitted.
- 21. Amendment of section 54.— In section 54 of the Major Port Act,—
 - (a) in sub-section (1), for the words "direct any Board", the words "direct the Authority" shall be substituted;
 - (b) in sub-section (2),-
 - (i) for the words, brackets and figure. "If any Board against whom a direction is made under sub-section (1) fails or neglects to comply with such direction", the words, brackets and figure. "If the Authority fails or neglects to comply with the direction under sub-section (1)" shall be substituted;
 - (ii) in the proviso, for the words "the Board", the words "the Authority" shall be substituted.
- 22. Amendment of section 57.— In section 57 of the Major Port Act, for the words "A Board shall not lease", the words "The Authority shall not lease" shall be substituted.
- 23. Amendment of section 59.— In section 59 of the Major Port Act, in sub-section (1) for the words "leviable by a Board under this Act", the words "leviable under this Act" shall be substituted.
- 24. Insertion of new section 110A.— After section 110 of the Major Port Act, the following section shall be inserted, namely:—
- 110A. Power of Central Government to supersede the Authority.— (1) If the Central Government is of the opinion that the Authority is unable to perform, or has persistently made default in the performance of, the duty imposed on it by or under this Act or has exceeded or abused its powers, or has wilfully or without sufficient cause, failed to comply with any

direction issued by the Central Government under section 111, the Central Government may, by notification in the Official Gazette, supersede the Authority for such period as may be specified in the notification:

Provided that, before issuing a notification under this subsection, the Central Government shall give reasonable opportunity to the Authority to show cause why it should not be superseded and shall consider the explanation and objections, if any, of the Authority.

- (2) Upon the publication of a notification under sub-section (1) superseding the Authority,—
 - (a) the Chairperson and the Members of the Authority shall, notwithstanding that their term of office has not expired as from the date of supersession, vacate their offices as such Chairperson or Members as the case may be;
 - (b) all the powers and duties which may, by or under the provisions of this Act, be exercised or performed by or on behalf of the Authority shall, during the period of supersession, be exercised and performed by such person or persons as the Central Government may direct.
- (3) On the expiration of the period of supersession specified in the notification issued under sub-section (1), the Central Government may—
 - (a) extend the period of supersession for such further period as it may consider necessary; or
 - (b) reconstitute the Authority in the manner provided in section 47A.
- 25. Amendment of section 111.— In section 111 of the Major Port Act, for sub-section (1), the following sub-section shall be substituted, namely:—
- "(1) Without prejudice to the foregoing provisions of this Chapter, the Authority and every Board shall, in the discharge of its functions under this Act be bound by such directions on questions of policy as the Central Government may give in writing from time to time:

Provided that the Authority or the Board, as the case may be, shall be given opportunity to express its views before any direction is given under this sub-section".

- 26. Substitution of section 112.— For section 112 of the Major Port Act, the following section shall be substituted, namely:—
- "112. Every person employed by the authority of this Act to be a public servant.— Every person employed by the Authority or by a Board under this Act shall, for the purposes of section 166 to 171 (both inclusive), 184, 185 and 409 of the Indian Penal Code and for the purposes of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 be deemed to be a public servant within the meaning of section 21 of the said Code."

49 of 1988.

- 27. Amendment of section 121.—In section 121 of the Major Port Act, for the words "against a Board or any member", the words "against the Authority a Board or any member" shall be substituted.
- 28. Amendment of section 122.— In section 122 of the Major Port Act, in sub-section (1), after clause (b), the following clause shall be inserted, namely:—
 - "(ba) the salaries, allowances payable to and the other terms and conditions of the Chairperson and members of the Authority;".
- 29. Insertion of new section 123A.— After section 123 of the Major Port Act, the following section shall be inserted, namely:—
- "123A. Power of Authority to make regulations.— The Authority may make regulations consistent with this Act for all or any of the following purposes, namely:—
 - (a) the times and places of meetings of the Authority and the procedure to be followed at such meetings under section 47E;
 - (b) the salaries and allowances payable to and the other conditions of service of officers and other employees of the Authority under sub-section (2) of section 47H".
- 30. Amendment of section 132.— In section 132 of the Major Port Act,—
 - (a) in sub-section (1),--
 - (i) in the opening portion, for the words "made by a Board or by the Central Government", the words "made by a Board or the Authority or the Central Government" shall be substituted;
 - (ii) in clause (b), for the words "made by the Central Government", the words "made by the Authority or the Central Government" shall be substituted;
 - (b) in sub-section (2), for the words "made by the Central Government", the words "made by the Authority or the Central Government" shall be substituted.

SHANKER DAYAL SHARMA,

President.

K. L. MOHANPURIA, Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Department of Panchayat Raj and Community Development

Directorate of Panchayats

Notification

25/7/81-DEV/VOL. V/1887

In pursuance of sub-section (1) of section 160 of the Goa Panchayat Raj Act, 1994 (Act No. 14 of 1994), the Government hereby prescribes the following terms and conditions and the purposes for sanctioning Grants to the Village Panchayats.

- 1. Purposes for which Grants may be sanctioned.— (a) Construction and maintenance of village roads, drains and culverts;
 - (b) construction, repairs and maintenance of drinking water wells, tanks, ponds and public springs;
 - (c) prevention and control of water pollution;
 - (d) maintenance of rural water supply schemes;
 - (e) providing for and maintenance of lighting of public streets and other public places;
 - (f) maintenance of general sanitation;
 - (g) cleaning of public roads, drains, tanks, wells and other public places;
 - (h) construction and maintenance and regulations of burning and burial grounds;
 - (i) construction and maintenance of public latrines;
 - (j) construction and maintenance of slaughter houses;
 - (k) construction and maintenance of public/children parks;
 - (1) construction and maintenance of cattle ponds, cattle sheds and cart stands;
 - (m) establishment and maintenance of Village libraries and reading rooms;
 - (n) construction and maintenance of passenger sheds, bus stands and Taxi stands;
 - (o) providing infrastructures for sports activities like Badminton, Volley Ball, Kabbadi, Kho-Kho, etc.
 - (p) disposal of unclaimed corpses and carcasses;
 - (q) land acquisition for all above projects.
- 2. Limits and extent of grants:—The grants shall be sanctioned to such items/works whose estimated cost does not exceed Rs. 5.00 lakhs and the amount shall be sanctioned as follows:—
 - a) Panchayats whose annual income is upto Rs. 1,00,000/-

100% of the project cost

b) Panchayats whose annual income is above Rs. 1,00,000/-but not exceeding Rs. 2,00,00/-

75% of the project cost

 c) Panchayats whose annual income is above Rs. 2,00,000/but not exceeding Rs. 5,00,000/- 50% of the project cost

d) The Panchayats whose annual income is above Rs. 5,00,000/will not be entitled to the G. I. A. under this scheme.

- Explanation:— "Annual Income" means the income of the panchayat from all sources inclusive of Taxes, fees, Octroi, rents, fires, sale proceeds, Bank interest, matching grants, etc., but does not include loans security deposits, guarantees, and grants sanctioned for developmental works.
- 3. Panchayats desiring to avail of the benefits of grants shall submit an application to the Director of Panchayats through the Block Development Officer, in the form appended to this Notification, along with the following documents.
 - (a) resolution of the Panchayats;
 - (b) certificate to the effect that the project has been reflected in the budget and the sufficient funds are available to meet balance amount;
 - (c) projects report with full particulars;
 - (d) estimated cost along with the Technical sanction from the competent authority;
 - (e) ownership documents of the property site of the project;
 - (f) certificate to the effect that the Grants previously sanctioned has been fully utilised and the necessary utilisation certificate has been furnished.
- 4. The sanction of grants shall be subject to the availability of funds.
- 5. The proposal for grants along with all the required documents shall be submitted to the respective Block Development Officer on or before 30th June, every year, provided that the Director of Panchayats may authorise the Block Development Officer to receive the proposal after the prescribed date.
- 6. The entire grants shall be utilised within a period of one year from the date of drawal. However, the Director may extend the time limit to such period as he may deem necessary at the request of the Panchayat, in deserving cases.
- 7. In case the execution period of the works is more than one year, then the grants will be released in instalments after having satisfied that the grants sanctioned earlier have been fully utilised.
- 8. The Block Development Officer shall draw and disburse the grants on receipt of sanction order. The grants shall be drawn in form TR 42, duly signed by the Sarpanch and countersigned by the Block Development Officer.
- 9. Any portion of the grant which is not utilised or is not ultimately required for the purpose for which it is sanctioned shall be refunded in cash to the Government Treasury.
- 10. The Panchayat shall submit to the Block Development Officer a "Utilisation Certificate" in Form GFR 19-A as required under GFR 151(1) within one month from the date of its utilisation, but not later than 18 months from the date of drawal.

- 11. The Panchayat shall maintain a Register of Grants in Form G. F. R. 19. The Block Development Officer shall also maintain necessary registers and ensure compliance of all the conditions by the Grantees institution.
- 12. No grants shall be sanctioned unless the previous grants are fully utilised by the Panchayats and utilisation certificates are furnished. Any part of grants remaining unutilised/unspent shall be refunded immediately.
- 13. The grants shall be utilised for the purpose for which it is sanctioned, and shall not be utilised for any other purpose without the written prior approval from the sanctioning authority.
- 14. The accounts of the Panchayats shall be audited by such officer as may be authorised by the Director of Accounts every year as envisaged in section 187 of the Goa Panchayat Raj Act, 1994. The accounts shall also be open to a test check by the Comptroller and Auditor General of India at his discretion.
- 15. The grants/grantee institutions shall also be subject to all other conditions as laid down under the General Financial Rules, as amended from time to time.
- 16. The Director of Panchayats shall be the sanctioning Authority.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

G. G. Kambli, Director of Panchayats and Ex-Officio Joint Secretary.

Panaji, 4th November, 1997.

Application	form for t	the sanctio	on of Gran	ts to Pand	chayats

- 1. Name of the Panchayat:
- 2. Title and Description of the Scheme:
- 3. Total Estimated Cost:
- 4. The annual income:
- 5. Amount provided in the Budget under Items No:
- 6. Location with description of the property: Ward No. etc.:
- 7. No. and date of resolution approving the Scheme:
- 8. Enclosed following documents:

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Place:

Date:

Department of Personnel

Notification

1/6/83-PER(Vol.II)

In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution, the Governor of Goa hereby makes the following rules so as to amend the Government of Goa, Group 'C' Ministerial, Non-Gazetted Common post (outside the Secretariat) Recruitment Rules, 1997 issued under the Notification No. 1/6/83-PER (Vol. II) dated 4-10-97 and published in the Official Gazette, Series I, No. 28 dated 9-10-97, namely:

- 1. Short title and commencement:— (i) These rules may be called the Government of Goa, Group 'C', Ministerial, Non-Gazetted Common post (outside the Secretariat) Recruitment (First Amendment) Rules, 1997.
 - (ii) They shall come into force at once.

(2) In the schedule attached to the said notification for the existing entry in col. 7, the following may be substituted:—

Essential:

(i) S. S. C. or equivalent qualification with at least 45% marks for those who have studied upto S. S. C.

Note:

Candidates possessing higher qualifications e. g. Std. XII/Degree of a recognised University shall also be eligible.

- (ii) Speed of 30 words per minute in typewriting in English subject to orders which may be issued from time to time.
- (iii) Knowledge of Konkani.

Desirable:

- (i) Knowledge of Marathi
- (ii) Preliminary training in Word Processing and Data Entry.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

S. S. Keshkamat, Joint Secretary (Personnel).

Panaji, 4th November, 1997.